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To: Robert Law [rlaw@demaximis.com]
Subject: RE: CPG's Responses to NOAA-FWS CSTAG Comments

Thanks Rob. April 30th works for the face to face team meeting. We can meet in Newark at 10:00, would that work?

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I've asked WW to forward the inputs and calibrations.

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>>> "Salkie, Diane" <Salkie.Diane@epa.gov> 4/11/2018 2:45 PM >>>

Thanks Rob. I will forward this on to NOAA. April 24th at 10:30 in room 1940 of 290 Broadway is all set. I am still working on finding a date for the meeting with the team.

In addition, I have some feedback from the team on the bioaccumulation modeling meeting, please see below:

Thank you for your presentation on March 28th regarding the bioaccumulation model calibration update. The updates to the model seem promising.

Your team stated at the meeting that you are open to input on the "qualitative prioritization of calibration targets." EPA would request that white perch and blue crab in RM 0-6 be added as top-priority calibration targets. These organisms are very important in terms of human exposure and have high observed-data sample counts.

We would also like to request the model input parameters for your "uncalibrated model" and also for your preliminary model calibrations.

With regards to the "acceptability of considering depth-weighted sediment concentrations," our response is that this is not acceptable and that this question has already been settled via the dispute resolution of 2016. There are inadequate shallow-sediment data to verify a thin-layer (<15cm) CF&T model.

Thanks

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Diane & Michael:

Attached are the CPG's responses to the NOAA-FWS CSTAG comments.

The CPG is also working on a list of critical FS related decisions and schedule and plan to forward later this week. In addition, CPG is working on a risk-based RAO to address DEP's concern.

Bill Potter and I are available to meet with you on April 24. Have you come up with a meeting date for the FS team meeting later that week?

Thanks

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